

NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

HIV Health Education/Risk Reduction

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

SEC 301(A)317, Public Health Services
Act as amended (Federal)

GRANT PROGRAM NO. 05-16-AIDS

TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:

Cost-reimbursement Grants and/or
Letters of Agreement

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:

To provide HIV/AIDS primary and secondary prevention/education, outreach, referral and support services to individuals at increased risk of infection through a variety of interventions, including street and community outreach, health education/risk reduction programs, community-intervention programs and HIV prevention case management. Priority populations to include women and adolescents at high risk of HIV infection, injecting drug users and their sexual partners, the gay/lesbian community and persons living with HIV/AIDS.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Approximately \$5,935,000 should be available in SFY-2005 to fund 17 to 30 awards. Grants range from \$40,000 to \$500,000. Awards will begin on or about January 1, 2005, and will be made for a 12-month budget period. Funding estimates may vary and are subject to the Annual Appropriation Act. Continuation awards within an approved budget period will be based on satisfactory progress and availability of funds. Applicants currently receiving grants for this activity and have performed satisfactorily will be given first priority for continued funding.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants
2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant

GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Local government agencies, state agencies, non-profit corporations, and community-based agencies.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

Varies by grant service.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Submit a concept paper to person listed below, delineating goals and objectives with tentative budget. Based on availability of funds, a Request for Proposal (RFP) may be released by the Department to all eligible entities, including those who have submitted concept papers.

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DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED:

Varies by grant.

DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:

Usually two months prior to the beginning of the grant/funding.